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SUBJECT: LIBYAN "CONSULAR" OFFICE IN ALEXANDRIA

REF: ALEXANDRIA 0083 (NOTAL)

1. COINCIDENTAL TO OUR REPORT OF RE-OPENING LIBYAN BRANCH LIAISON OFFICE ALEXANDRIA (REFTEL), WE HAD OPPORTUNITY DISCUSS THAT OFFICE WITH ACQUAINTANCE WHO IS RETIRED LIBYAN DIPLOMAT, NOW IN PRIVATE BUSINESS BASED ON ATHENS, BUT FREQUENT VISITOR TO BROTHER AND TRADE CONTACTS IN ALEXANDRIA. HE IS TAHER MUNIR BURSHAN, VICE PRESIDENT, EXDRUG HELLENIC EXPORT COMPANY, 9 DIMOKRITON ST., ATHENS. WAS MOST RECENTLY PUBLIC AFFAIRS COUNSELOR, ROME (1976).

2. ACCORDING TO BURSHAN, LIBYAN OFFICE RE-OPENED ALMOST TWO MONTHS AGO. "CONSUL GENERAL", AS BURSHAN TITLED HIM THROUGHOUT CONVERSATION, IS FORMER ARMY MAJOR MOHAMMED HUWEISA (PHONETIC).

3. CHECKING CAIRO DIPLOMATIC LIST TO SEE IF HUWEISA WAS PERHAPS ATTACHED TO "LIBYAN RELATIONS OFFICE" THERE, WE WERE SURPRISED
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TO FIND SEVEN OF FIRST TWENTY-TWO LISTED LIBYAN DIPLOMATS ARE RESIDENT IN ALEXANDRIA (TOTAL OF 39 ARE NAMED IN FEBRUARY 1976 LIST). RANKING LOCAL RESIDENT WAS MABROOK MOFTAH MOUSSA, CULTURAL AFFAIRS COUNSELOR. OTHERS INCLUDE SIX WITH ATTACHE TITLES: ABDEL MEGUID EL NEMRY (INDUSTRIAL), RAGAB MENEINA (ADMINISTRATIVE), YOUSSEF KAAL (FINANCIAL), SALEM MANSOUR EL MEZZINI (LABOR), SENOUSSI AHMAD LEYASS (CULTURAL) AND AHMAD EL

ZEGGALAI (ADMINISTRATIVE).

4. TELEPHONE CALL TO POLITICAL OFFICER GLASPIE AT EMBASSY,
ASKING UPDATE ON LIBYAN ENTRY IN CAIRO DIP LIST, INDICATES
ARRIVAL 15 MARCH 1976 OF ONE ABDEL KADER HOEISSA, WITH
RANK OF COUNSELOR. WE PRESUME HE IS OUR "CONSUL GENERAL" AND
THAT THE SIX ATTACHES ARE HIS "CONSULS."
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